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SUBJECT: VENEZUELAN OIL SCHEME

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- 1. GOH HAS BEEN ATTEMPTING OVER PAST 8 MONTHS TO PERSUADE GOV TO OFFER SOME RELIEF ON OIL PRICES ALONG LINES DESCRIBED REFTEL, BUT HAS BEEN UNABLE AS YET TO EXTRACT A POSITIVE RESPONSE FROM THE VENEZUELANS. ONE OF THE DIFFICULTIES MAY BE THAT GOH HAS NO REFINERY AND CANNOT USE CRUDE.
- 2. PROSPECTS FOR VENEZUELAN/HAITIAN ACCORD ARE STILL TOO HAZY TO PERMIT EVEN A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF BOP AND/OR DEVELOPMENT EFFECT. COST OF HAITIAN IMPORTS OF ALL PETROLEUM PRODUCTS ARE EXPECTED TO REACH \$17.1 MILLION IN 1975. SINCE HAITIAN NET INTERNATIONAL RESERVES ARE EXPECTED TO DROP TO ZERO OR EVEN A NEGATIVE FIGURE BEFORE THE END OF 1975 EVEN A MINOR REBATE FROM THE VENEZUELANS COULD BE USEFUL. ISHAM

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